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1. The Chinese Communists have established the Ordnance Technological School of the People's Revolutionary Military Council at Hsits'ang (西 倉), near T'ungshien (116-39, 39-55). The first class of over 1,700 men started training in [REDACTED].
 2. The students are divided into two regiments:
 - a. The 1 Regiment, also known as the elementary ordnance technological section, of 1,200 men will receive an eighteen months course in armament manufacture.
 - b. The 2 Regiment, also known as the advance technological section, of over 500 men will receive a two-year course specializing in ordnance planning and research.
 3. All the students will take general courses, including political and basic military training, for three months preceding their specialized studies.

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